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The title of Immigration is steadily settling in, and the first thing eastern people do is to throw away their New York Hats and buy a new one of Desmots. They say there is no comparison between the two. feb17

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Los Angeles Herald.  
CITY AND COUNTY OFFICIAL PAPER.

TUESDAY, FEB. 9, 1875.

MUYBRIDGE has been acquitted for killing Major HARRY LARKYN, the lover of his wife. This is right, and now Mrs. MUYBRIDGE should be tried, as an accessory before the fact in the killing of LARKYN.

THE Post published a list of those who made fortunes by the rise in mining stocks, and now the Call calls upon it to publish the names of those who have lost their all by the fall in stocks. If the Post complies with the request it will have to leave out its dead ads and issue a double sheet every day for the next three months.

THE Call complains that there is too much reckless shooting in San Francisco. There are grounds for the complaint, but the Call should not permit its regret at the result of that little affair down by the Postoffice come to the surface in such an unchristian manner. Better luck next time.

A SAN FRANCISCO paper comes out in favor of a restoration of the whipping post. Some new and more severe method of punishment than any now in vogue, is needed in San Francisco. If the drunken wife whipping brutes and the cruel murdering hoodlums that seem to thrive on the punishment now dealt out to them in that city were whipped for whipping, beat for beating, and shot for shooting, perhaps a better condition of society would be ultimately reached.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL LOVE has begun an action in the Sixth District Court to restrain the Board of Education from enforcing the use of the Pacific Coast Readers in the public schools. The legal point raised is that the books are inferior to those now in use and that they are to be sold at a higher cost. The case will come up on the 3d of March. We cannot see that any good will result from this action. The books cannot be forced into the schools before the first of next January, and if the people are wise they will elect a Legislature that will repeal the law under which the change is made before the introduction of the books becomes mandatory. The uniformity of books in the public schools is desirable; but if we cannot have members of the Board of Education who are beyond the control of book rings, we had better leave the matter to the judgment and discretion of parents and teachers.

Dependent Independence.

Party organs, after all, are poor, dependent things. Their boasted independence and their vaunted leadership, is but the thinnest kind of moonshine. They are the puppets of their party, and when one has the manhood or foolhardiness to throw off its allegiance it is coaxed or frightened to its normal condition of subservency or incontinently knocked on the head and dies to be resurrected under more loyal control and plant management. When the military outrage was perpetrated on the Louisiana Legislature, three-fourths of the Administration papers of the nation condemned the act and denounced the actors. How stand they to-day? The Republican majority in the Senate resolved to stand by the President, no matter what he did or said, and the Republican journals fell into line—followed their leaders—as naturally and submissively as well trained hounds follow their master. A few have already commenced the task of laudation and approval, but the greater portion are in a state of transition—changing from the growling spaniel to the fawning cur. A few months, perhaps a few weeks hence we shall see almost every Republican journal defending and supporting every act past, present and to come of the Administration. And this is the independence of partisan journalism! These are the journals that are wont to boast of their power as moulders and leaders of public opinion! These are the champions of progress and the supporters of principle! These are the newspapers that prate of venality and corruption in all parties but theirs! When GRANT says thumbs down not one of them dare disobey the order.

New Telegraph Line.

The announcement that the railroad company have ordered a completion of their telegraph line to this city as soon as the work can be done, is gratifying news to the people of Los Angeles valley. There is but little over one hundred miles of line to build, and as the poles and other material can be landed at either end of the road—Teahach Pass and San Fernando—the greatest distance material will have to be hauled by teams will not exceed fifty miles from the end of the track. Thus it will be seen that the line can be in operation in a few weeks. It is understood that as soon as the roads settle a little the distribution of material will commence, and it is probable that the line will be completed before the first of May. In the way of late news reports the Atlantic and Pacific line will be a great convenience to newspapers, as its dispatches are not controlled by a monopoly like the Associated Press, and are furnished to all patrons alike. When this line is completed to Los Angeles, the HERALD's readers will be furnished with

the same Eastern dates on the same morning that they are printed in the San Francisco *Alta* and *Chronicle*. The reduction in the rates for private messages will probably be about one-half—a saving of nearly or quite \$1,200 per month to the people of this city, besides insuring greater telegraphic facilities. We will all welcome the competing line, and its managers may rest assured that they will receive a liberal share of the public patronage.

Read Out.

Two of the Republican Congressmen appointed on the outrage committee—PHELPS, of New Jersey, and FOSTER, of Ohio—have been excommunicated. The bull was promulgated by the National Republican, which is known at Washington as "The Administration kitchen instrument." These two gentlemen dared to report the truth about the Louisiana troubles and as the truth did not make up such a story as the President wished to hear from that unfortunate State, the White House organ denounced both as recreant to their trust and Republicans only in name, and furthermore reads them out of the Republican party. There is nothing either important or significant in a newspaper condemnation of a politician's act. It is a daily occurrence and excites but little comment when coming from the ordinary party journal and levelled at the ordinary act of the ordinary politician; but in this case the paper is the recognized mouthpiece of the President, the act condemned one which all honest men approve and the Congressmen denounced simple gentlemen who performed what they believed to be their duty in the premises. Yet the President's organ expels them from the party with the assertion that they are traitors to party principles, to party friends and to the policy which alone can secure the success of the party. This is significant, and means that committees must report, not in accordance with the facts, but as the President wishes.

San Fernando Cinnabar Mines.

EDITOR HERALD: More valuable discoveries in the shape of cinnabar in this county have been made. On the 1st of the present month I discovered and located a number of claims on a lode in the Blue Lead District, only one mile from Lang's Station and within a few rods of the road leading from this place to the Cerro Gordo mines. These mines offer a greater inducement to the capitalist than any heretofore discovered in this county. The ore is in the calco slate formation, and has a showing over 100 feet below the surface. This is effected by the action of a stream of water passing by the ledge, causing it to fall off and giving it the showing indicated above. Capitalists interested in quicksilver mining might do well to visit this new discovery. Any information desired in regard to them can be had of the writer. H. L. SHANG. San Fernando, Feb. 6th.

Muybridge Acquitted.

A dispatch dated Napa 6th inst. referring to the acquittal of Muybridge charged with the murder of Major Harry Larkyn says the jury returned at 11:50 A. M., after being out twelve hours, with a verdict of "not guilty." It was the most effecting scene ever witnessed. When Muybridge heard the words "not guilty," he fell on the lap of Hon. W. W. Pendegast and wept like a child.

Knights of Pythias.

The Grand Lodge of the Knights of Pythias at its recent session, held in San Francisco, elected the following officers for the current year: Supreme Rep., T. P. Dann (long term); G. C. L. M. Manzer (re-elected); V. G. C. J. H. Baxley, Jr.; G. W. J. Patterson; G. M. of E. George Cantus (re-elected); G. of R. and S., A. G. Booth.

Kellogg's Government Recognized.

NEW YORK, February 5th.—A New Orleans dispatch says the Conservative members of the Legislature, after having been in the caucus nearly all day, accepted at 12:30 this morning the proposition of the Congressional Committee. This secures a resolution passed and signed by all the members of the Legislature, acknowledging the Kellogg Government, and endorsing the election of 1872, on consideration of obtaining a majority in the Lower House by seating five Conservative contesting members.

McEnery, who was invited to be present, made a speech denouncing the agreement. The measure was carried by the country members, the city delegation being mainly in favor of rejecting the proposition. Great excitement prevails even at this late hour and strong opposition is already developed. The sentiment of the extreme wing of the Democratic party is violently opposed to what they consider a sacrifice of the people to the policy, and a difficulty is expected.

Reports in Favor of the Texas Pacific Railroad.

WASHINGTON, February 6th.—The sub-committee of the House Pacific Railroad Committee have agreed on a bill guaranteeing bonds to Scott's railroad at the average amount of \$35,000 a mile. The sub-committee stood—Houghton, Barnum, Wells and Cypher in favor; and William, of Michigan against. Scott's friends claim that the full committee will agree to the report of the sub-committee by 7 to 5.

An Insane Man Hunting President Grant.

WASHINGTON, February 6th.—An insane man was arrested in the White House grounds at midnight last night, while attempting to stop the President's carriage, which was returning to the house with a number of the President's friends. The same man was arrested several days ago, being caught in the vicinity of the Executive Mansion at night.

Conservative Caucus.

NEW ORLEANS, February 6th.—In the Conservative Caucus last night, the debate on the compromise was kept up until after midnight. The

proposition under consideration was that the Conservatives should have a majority of about ten in the House, and that the pastaction of the Kellogg Government should not be included into. The vote stood 38 in favor of the compromise and 27 against it. After this vote Speaker Wiltz, it is stated, tendered his resignation and Governor McEnery, who was present by courtesy, said that by this action of the caucus, it was time to lower the Democratic banner and he therefore wished to retire.

Congressional News.

WASHINGTON, February 7th.—The House Committee on Commerce held a meeting last night to finish the river and harbor appropriation bill. The proposed \$80,000 for turning San Diego river into False Bay was discussed and finally put in. No action was had on the one to the credit of the election of a new Senator in place of Carpenter, necessitating the election of a new President pro tem. of the Senate, Senator Ferry, of Michigan, is prominently mentioned therewith.

Safe Stealers Arrested.

NEW YORK, February 7th.—Dan Hovey, John Sweeney and James Drew were arrested for complicity in stealing the safe from Adams Express Company, containing over half a million of dollars in greenbacks, and thirty-five thousand dollars in bonds. Seventy-five thousand dollars in greenbacks were recovered yesterday. Information is said to have been obtained that will lead to the recovery of nearly all the money stolen.

Telegraph Rates to be Reduced.

NEW YORK, February 7th.—The Mercury to-day says that the Western Union Telegraph Company have resolved to reduce their rates below those fixed by the Atlantic and Pacific Company, the reduction to begin about the 15th inst.

The Compromise in Louisiana.

NEW ORLEANS, February 7th.—The proposed compromise is the general topic of conversation. The indications are that the vote in the Conservative Caucus tomorrow will be very close. It is understood that not a member of the present Kellogg Legislature will yield, and the adjustment proposed is generally considered to be impracticable.

Gen. Sheridan returned to-day. He states that the Congressional Committee are unanimous in the opinion that the action of the Returning Board was illegal and that the Conservatives had a majority of members of the Legislature. They will conclude their investigation tomorrow and leave at once for Washington.

California Wool.

BOSTON, February 8th.—California wool is in demand. Spring, 29¢@30¢; Fall, 15¢@27¢.

Sabre Exercise—Earthquake—On the Dry Dock.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 8th.—About 4 o'clock yesterday morning, Antonio Bradovich and Otto Roof, two members of a military company, quarreled over their cups in a saloon on Pacific street. Roof struck Bradovich, who the latter attacked Roof with a heavy sabre bayonet, inflicting a severe and dangerous wound in the abdomen. Roof was taken to the German Hospital and Bradovich was arrested and confined in the City Prison.

Confession of a Doomed Man.

SACRAMENTO, February 4th.—Philomena Cotta, under sentence of death with Domingo Estrado for the murder of John Cruz last April, made a confession this evening, admitting that he and Estrado assaulted Cruz on the night he was murdered, but charging in effect that Estrado committed the murder.

An Ex-Treasurer of Monterey County Charged with Retaining Public Money.

SALINAS, February 4th.—At to-day's session of the Board of Supervisors of Monterey county, most of the time was spent in the examination of Robert McKee, late County Treasurer, for an unlawful retention of \$8,426. The Supervisors found the charge true and demanded the restitution of the money. McKee claims that the said sum was a fee appertaining to the office, and that he divided the same with the other officials then in office. The original bond of McKee has been discovered not to have been recorded and is missing, as also other papers and vouchers. McKee claims to have taken in the matter by the citizens.

Quicksilver Discovery in Oregon.

JACKSONVILLE, Oregon, February 7. A ledge of cinnabar has just been discovered about twenty miles north of here by Daniel Hodges, which has been located on for about three miles. It is named after the discoverer and is considered an extensive and valuable discovery.

Wm. Percival, of Ferndale, Humboldt county, was instantly killed on the 3d, nearly his whole head being blown off while climbing a fence with shot gun in his hand. He leaves a wife and one child.

Farming prospects about Roseville, Placer county, are good. Three times as much grain has been sown this year as last, and it is all looking splendid. The late rains have given ground a thorough soaking, and the favorable weather is bringing the crops forward nicely.

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## LAND FOR SALE.

**I HAVE 600 ACRES** OF EXCELLENT land for sale near Los Angeles, about 200 acres will produce corn without irrigation. The remainder is good fruit and small grain land. Lying within 10 miles of the city. **J. S. THOMPSON.** **Dec. 17, 1874.** **51 and 52 Temple Block.** **feb-17**

**A Most Desirable Homestead For Sale.** **THREE AND A HALF ACRES**, EXTENDING from Figueroa to Main street, nearly enclosed, containing 100 lemon, 50 lime, 40 orange and 20 walnut trees, in the most thrifty condition and commanding a view of the city and harbor. Also, a large and vacant space sufficient for strawberry and 75 or 80 orange trees. Apples, peaches, pears and nectarines of the finest varieties, in good bearing. Also a fine strawberry bed, situated on the corner of Main and Figueroa streets. The time trees can be depended on for 50,000 fruit for the next year. Price \$5,000, no reduction. Apply at the HERALD office. **jan-17**

## MISCELLANEOUS.

**WARRANTS ON THE GOPHER** and Squirrel Pouch, protested on or before August 16, 1874, are now due and payable at the office of the County Treasurer. **T. E. ROWAN.** **County Treasurer.** **jan-17**

## Willow Wood.

**A FINE SUPPLY** of this wood constantly on hand at my yard on Alameda street, below the Depot. All lengths. Orders left at the garage store will be promptly attended to and delivered free of charge. **J. J. MORTON.** **jan-21-1m**

## Notice.

**THE TAX SALE OF PROPERTY FOR delinquent taxes has been postponed until further notice.** **J. J. CARRILLO.** **Marshall.** **jan-24**

## Steam Water Lifter.

**THE UNDERSIGNED DESIRES** to inform the public that he is now erecting his machine shop on Requin street, near R. R. Depot, where he may be found, and will be pleased to see his friends and patrons. **ALLEN WILCOX.** **jan-24**

**GRANGE CO-OPERATIVE CO.—NOTICE OF DIVIDENDS.**

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of said company, held on the 1st inst., a dividend for 1 1/2 per cent. per month (30 cents a share) was declared for the first six months ending on the 31st day of December, A. D. 1874, on the paid in capital stock of said company. **L. M. HOLT, Secy.** **January 7, 1875.** **jan-7**

## NOTICE.

**HAVING** retired my entire house, and given up merchandising, I am prepared to accommodate boarders with pleasant rooms and board at reasonable rates. Located at San Gabriel Mission, on justly celebrated for its artistic and ornamental designs. Can leave for Los Angeles at 9 o'clock A. M.; returning, arrive at ten minutes past 3, P. M. **DAVID F. HALL.** **San Gabriel, Jan. 13, 1875.** **jan-13**

# Los Angeles Herald.

## CITY AND COUNTY OFFICIAL PAPER.

TUESDAY, FEB. 9, 1875.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Four bon-ton pictures at the Cottage Gallery for \$1 50.

The Ventura arrived yesterday with 120 passengers and 465 tons of freight.

The schooner A. P. Jordan, Captain Madison, sailed yesterday for Coos Bay.

Orange Grove Encampment No. 31, I. O. O. F., meets this evening. A full attendance is requested.

Two prairie schooners were loaded at the depot yesterday for Prescott and four for Mojave and Cerbat.

The Turn-Verein Society had a pleasant dramatic entertainment and ball at their hall Sunday evening.

Call at the Cottage Picture Gallery for cheap and good pictures, corner Spring and First streets.

The Ventura will sail for San Francisco to-morrow, passengers leaving by the 10:15 A. M. train.

A small steel key which somebody is looking for can be found at this office.

The Los Angeles and San Bernardino District Council, P. of H. meets in regular quarterly session at El Monte to-day.

A complaint was lodged in Justice Gray's Court yesterday against Nutger & Walton for keeping a disorderly house on Commercial street.

It is expected that the San Francisco mail will arrive on regular time hereafter and be ready for delivery at 8 A. M.

A telegraph line running direct with the Southern Pacific Road to San Francisco is to be constructed at once.

A butcher wagon belonging to the Aliso Market was badly smashed up near the depot yesterday in a runaway. No other damage.

Judge O'Melveny passed sentence on five convicted criminals yesterday. The punishments range from thirty days in the chain gang to seven years in the State Prison.

The differences between the Santa Barbara City Fathers and Mr. Stearns, the wharf owner, have been adjusted. Our up-country neighbor enjoys the advantages of a sea-port again.

Mayor Beaudry yesterday received a morocco bound heavily gilt copy of the Municipal Reports of San Francisco for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1874. The book is a present from James J. Kenny, Supervisor of the Third Ward.

Read the advertisement of Mayor Beaudry in which he offers some rare opportunities to the desire of purchasing homes. Eight cottages and seven two-story dwelling houses, located in the most central and pleasant part of the city will be sold on the installment plan, giving every advantage to the purchaser.

The improvements in Turn-Verein Hall are not yet completed although far enough advanced to admit of occupancy. By the extension of the galleries along the sides a seating capacity for three hundred persons will be added. Mr. S. H. Buchanan, one of our leading builders, has the work in hand.

The Board of Supervisors resumed their session yesterday. The Santa Ana bridge was located a quarter of a mile below the crossing of the telegraph line, and plans and specifications for the same were adopted. The Board then adjourned to meet in regular session on the first Monday in March.

Arthur Kearney, chief of the San Bernardino daily and weekly Guardian, dropped into the HERALD office yesterday morning, looking as gay and handsome as ever. He gives a good account of our neighboring town and says he is making preparations to enlarge and improve the daily Guardian.

Quite a serious accident occurred in the Arroyo Seco last Sunday. Mr. Buniller was driving out in a light buggy accompanied by his sister-in-law and child and Mr. Reinecke was riding into the city on horseback. By some mismanagement the two collided and the result was a general smash-up and tumble. No injuries worse than some uncomfortable bruises were sustained by any of the party.

It is reported that the engineers are now en route to San Fernando to make the final location of the tunnel and Mr. Harris will follow in a few days to locate the shafts and ascertain what machinery and material will be necessary to complete it within eighteen months, the time which the company hope to have the track laid up to both ends of the tunnel, so that when it is completed Los Angeles will be connected with San Francisco by rail.

## Well Appreciated.

At a regular meeting of the new Board of Directors of the Spring and Sixth Street Railroad Company, yesterday, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

**Resolved**, That a vote of thanks be extended Judge R. M. Widney for the efficient manner in which he has discharged the duties of President and Managing Agent of the Spring and Sixth Street Railroad Company for the past year.

It was further resolved that the President issue a free pass to Judge R. M. Widney to ride on said road.

**S. C. HUBBELL, President.** **P. F. F. TEMPLE, Sec. pro tem.**

## Vivian in Santa Barbara.

The performance of "Naval Engagements" at the theatre last night was capital. It was followed by several of Vivian's inimitable character pieces, which the audience received with enthusiastic applause. The company is much better than is often seen outside of San Francisco, and merits the encouragement of a large audience. **Press, Feb. 5th.**

# Queen Esther.

After a long and vexatious delay, caused by the unpleasant weather and other unforeseen difficulties, the cantata of Esther was at last presented to the public last night at Turn-Verein Hall. We must allow the truth of the adage that there is no great loss without some gain; the wear and tear on the patience both of participants in the cantata and expectant auditors was more than made up by the proficiency and finish acquired by the long practice enforced upon the singers.

Headed by Professor Parker as the originator and manager of the entertainment, the personnel of the cantata was as follows: Esther, the Queen, Miss Florida Nichols; Ahasuerus, King of Media and Persia, J. F. Mohr; Haman, Overseer of the Rezin, O. W. Parker; Zeresh, Haman's wife, Miss Nellie White; Mordecai, Uncle of Esther, F. B. Fanning; Prothetess, Miss Belle Mallard; Judith, Mordecai's sister, Miss Jennie Hill; Queen's Maid's, Mrs. F. B. Fanning; Miss Nannie White, Miss C. M. Uribe; Zeresh's Maids, Miss Mallard, Miss Lucky, Mrs. O. W. Parker; Hegai, S. Kees; Harbonah, A. Jeffries; Stage Manager, J. J. Ayers; Pianist, Prof. Falkner.

Where every part was carried out so successfully, it becomes impossible for us to draw close lines of criticism or pay special compliments, giving to all their just dues. The parts of Esther, the Queen and Zeresh, Haman's wife, as well as the Prothetess Judith and Mordecai deserve special mention. The choruses were finely rendered; also the parts of the Queen's and Zeresh's Maids. The Cantata, upon the whole was a decided success and reflected credit upon its management, and our local talent. The attendance was good although the hall was not crowded as we had expected to see it. Doubtless many deferred their visits to subsequent evenings, and others failed to attend because they were not sufficiently informed that the Cantata would be presented as advertised.

To-night we bespeak for Professor Parker and his volunteer corps of singers, one of the largest audiences ever assembled in Turn-Verein Hall. All who love music should attend as it is a rich treat which they cannot afford to lose.

To-morrow evening will conclude the series of Queen Esther concerts.

## Chamber of Commerce.

"One of the People" put a card in the Saturday's HERALD, asking in a very plain manner by what authority certain telegrams were sent to Congress in the name of the Chamber of Commerce. The card drew two replies in the Evening Express of the same day, each intimating that "One of the People" exposed his ignorance by asking such a question. "Gracious" (the first to respond) says: "On the occasion referred to, the Chamber of Commerce was not in session. It is the Board of Directors and many of the members. The resolutions of Mr. Newmark did not receive the sanction of even a small fraction of the members present. Their fate was equivalent to nothing, as they passed to a committee with the whole subject-matter under consideration." Now we understand that there was a big meeting and everything under consideration was tabled or given to a committee, "all the same." The editor of the Express says no, there was no big meeting—"A Chamber of Commerce would be cumbersome and unmanageable." (We think so too, on such resolutions were sent to Congress).

"The Division of the People" is the action of the Chamber of Commerce. It is all as clear as mud now. "Squeeze my little finger." Here is a transaction intended to benefit the Southern Pacific Railroad Company and damage the Texas Pacific, in which the people of Southern California are interested to the amount of millions. Everybody can now see how it was done. **ONE OF THE PEOPLE.**

## School Laws.

The people of the State of California in and about Sacramento have assisted in making some very foolish school laws, and the people are now petitioning the courts to relieve them from a compliance with those laws. All such laws are foolish, and those who made them ought to be made to conform to them. We have always deprecated such laws. There is no more sense in forcing a certain class of books into the schools than there is in compelling every man to prepare a certain kind of food for his children to eat. But we have the law, let us obey it until we abolish it. We trust it will be a lesson to those who have a mania for law making. All compulsory laws are contrary to the genius of free government, and the sooner the American people learn the fact the better. The free school system is one of the grandest institutions on the continent and should be nourished with the warmest sympathy of all the people, and if it is ever made odious, it will be done by crazy law makers who imagine that all children are like so many rough blocks, that to make them perfect they must all be run through a machine and cut to one pattern, like so many shingles.

In regard to the merit of the readers—the Electric and the Pacific—there is not much difference. Besides there will be no great expense in making the change, as the Electric is bound to take the Pacific in exchange for his. It is a law but we must keep it till we abolish it legally. It is a fortunate thing for shoemakers to pinch their own toes occasionally.

**Los Angeles, Feb. 8, 1875.**

## Centinela Colony.

**EDITOR HERALD:** We adopt this method of expressing our gratitude to one of the members of the company, through whose urgent solicitations we were induced to examine this colony. There is so much humbuggy peddled around in the shape of big advertisements, by speculators in wildcat mines and Lompoc lands, on the coast that I determined never to look at anything which came up in the shape of stock. I am afraid of them, and people from the Atlantic States generally are afraid of them. About nine out of ten of our people who have dabbled in such speculations have gone home with an empty purse. But the Centinela Colony has merits, which if known to the new-comers, would sell every share of stock in that company in one month.

The first thing is the best and most fertile quality—lays level, and can be easily cultivated. Second—Over half the 25,000 acres is moist and will produce fine crops without irrigation. Third—There is a beautiful stream of water of sufficient volume to irrigate the balance of the tract. Fourth—There is an orchard of 12,000 trees in a beautiful state of cultivation. Fifth—There are fourteen thousand sheep of a good quality. Sixth—The position of the ranch sloping toward the sea on the South guarantees excellent health with a refreshing sea breeze during Summer. With two or three hundred families, which will be no doubt there in a few months, it will be the most delightful place we have seen in Southern California. **VISITOR.**

**A New England Woman's Opinion of Southern California.** Force of circumstances rendering a limited stay in California necessary, I left my New England home regretfully; having always regarded myself as permanent a fixture there as the hills themselves, and fully persuaded that nowhere, the wide world over, were so many of the blessings of life to be found centered in one place. That should pine away with nostalgia, I fully believed and rather wished, as it would prove conclusively my loyalty to my native State. My ideas of California, though not unfavorable on the whole, were clouded by excessive first impressions of the country favored by my former prejudice. The brown hills off the coast, seen from the billious vision of a sea-sick individual on board a crowded, comfortable steamer, were not calculated to dispel, but these lands are not entirely free from frost, but the cold is not severe enough to injure the growth of semi-tropical fruit trees, and rarely does any damage, except to the most tender vegetation.

**Semi-Tropical Fruits.** Will there find a combination of soil, climate and water well adapted to their rapid growth in the immediate vicinity of the sea, and the cold is not severe enough to injure the growth of semi-tropical fruit trees, and rarely does any damage, except to the most tender vegetation.

**Water.** The great desideratum of Southern California, which is the richest land in the world, is converted into a desert, and with it the desert is converted into a garden, is the result of the great abundance of water found at a depth of ten or fifteen feet, and

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## ARTESIA.

Has been laid out on the township line three miles South and three-quarters of a mile West of Norwalk Station. A quarter-section of land is included within the town plat, is the intention to make this town the center of one of the richest farming communities in Los Angeles county. Will be erected soon by the company on a 2-acre town lot donated for that purpose. Ten per cent. of the receipts from the sale of town lots will be devoted to the erection of a School House and the improvement of the school property, and 2 1/2 per cent. of the receipts from the sale of outside lands at the first auction sale will be devoted to the same purpose. These sums will be paid from the first payments made on lands. Arrangements are now being made for the establishment of a Methodist Episcopal Church, and the erection of a house of worship. A lot will be given to any Church or Society that will erect thereon a building for public use.

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## TEMPERANCE.

Believing that the sale and consumption of spirituous and malt liquors in the settlement would be productive of much evil continually, and no good, the Association will insert a clause in the prohibitory laws forbidding the use of intoxicating drinks, as a beverage, on the lands sold.

Plots of the lands and further information can be had by calling at the office of the Association, 124 SPRING STREET, LOS ANGELES.

## THE LOS ANGELES IMMIGRATION AND LAND CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION.

Was incorporated December 10, 1874, for the purpose of furnishing reliable information to persons seeking homes in Southern California, and also purchasing large tracts of land, dividing them up and selling them again to actual settlers.

## THE NEW ITALY.

Issuing 5,000 copies in each edition. Copies sent free on application to any part of the world. The Board of Directors of the Association for the present year are as follows:

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**J. S. GORDON**, Vice-President  
**J. E. MCCASKEY**, Manager  
**MILTON THOMAS**, Assistant Manager  
**H. J. CROW**, Treasurer  
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**R. M. TOWN**, Secretary

## CABANIS & MADEGAN, Real Estate & Money Brokers.

**Notary Public and Conveyancer.** OFFICE—No 4 Temple block, up stairs—entrance, first stairway below the Bank, on Spring street.

## For Sale Cheap.

3,000 Walnut trees 3 years old  
1,000 Orange " 3 "  
2,000 " " 2 "  
10,000 " " 1 year "  
1,000 Lemon " 2 years "  
1,000 Fig " 2 "  
500 Pepper " 2 & 3 "

## CHOICE LAND FOR RENT.

**600 ACRES**—OF—**A No. 1 Land to Rent.** More than half of it moist land, adjoining the new city of San Fernando, with 400 yards of the Railroad Depot. Two crops can be raised each year. Apply at the office of **LA CRONICA.** **jan-24**

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# NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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## 3,500 Acres of Fine Artesian Land in a Body.

The Tract is being Cut up into Small Farms & Homesteads and will be Sold at the Purchaser's Own Price.

Strong Flowing Artesian Wells can be Had on Every Acre of the Tract.

The Los Angeles Immigration and Land Co-operative Association has purchased a tract of 3,500 acres of fine, valuable land, located just south of Norwalk Station, on the S. F. R. R., East of New River, and are having it cut up into forty-acre tracts.

## Soil.

The soil is of a rich sandy loam and free from alkali. There are two or three small pieces of alkali ground on the tract, but they will be pointed out to purchasers so that they may know what they are buying. The character of the soil is more like the warm mesa lands of the country, than the low, damp corn lands.

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